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August 17, 2016

Mr. Mike Tucker
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region VII
ENST/EFCB
300 Minnesota Avenue
Kansas City, KS 66101

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Re: August 2nd – August 3rd, 2016 EPA Inspection
EPA ID Number: NED981723513

Dear Mr. Tucker;

The purpose of this letter is to respond to the Notice of Violation dated August 3, 2016(see Attachment One). Those violations are listed below followed by the Clean Harbors Environmental Services, Inc. (CHESI) response.

Violation 1 – Permit Condition IIF1 – Failure to adequately inspect as per permit requirements. Tank T-144.

CHESI Response: Tank T-144 passed the annual Ultrasonic Thickness Testing Requirements when tested in December 2015. The peeling of the tanks only reflects the quality of the superficial paint job not the integrity of the tanks. On September 1, 2015, Clean Harbors had a third party Nebraska Registered Professional Engineer re-inspect the integrity of the tanks in Area 58. This was submitted to the EPA September 18, 2015. Clean Harbors does not feel that the peeling of the tanks is a violation because it does not impact the integrity of the tanks or pose any risk to human health or the environment. However, the spots found during the inspection on T-144 have been repainted as a best management practice. Please see Attachment Two for pictures.

Should you have any questions please feel free to contact the CHESI Compliance Manager, Jessica Zebre, at 308-235-8260 or by email at zebre.jessica@cleanharbors.com .

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Brad Reader".

Brad Reader
Facility General Manager



Attachment 1

Copy of Notice of Violation Pursuant to Requirements of the Resource
Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA)

Notice of Violation Pursuant to Requirements
of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA)

TO: Facility Name: Clean Harbors Environmental Services, Inc.
Address: 2247 South Highway 71
Kimball Nebraska 69145
EPA ID Number: NED981723513 Date: August 03, 2016

This notice is provided to call your attention to the following areas of noncompliance with state and federal regulations. This notice does not constitute a compliance order (Administrative Civil Complaint) pursuant to Section 3008 of RCRA and may not be a complete listing of all violations resulting from the the inspection.

Citation

Description of Violation

Permit Condition II F 1

Failure to adequately inspect as per
Permit Requirements. Tank T-144

You are requested to submit a written response within **14 calendar days** of receipt of this notice. Your response should include a description of all corrective actions taken and/or a schedule for completing the necessary corrective actions. The response should be submitted to:

U. S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region VII
ENST/EFCB
300 Minnesota Avenue
Kansas City, Kansas 66101
ATTN: Michael W. Tucker

If you have any questions about this Notice or wish to discuss your response, you may call me at
913-551-7475, or Edwin Buckner (Compliance Officer) at
913-551-8621 (7621)

This Notice prepared by Michael W. Tucker Date: August 3, 2016

The undersigned person acknowledges that he/she has received a copy of this Notice and has read same.

Printed Name:
Signature:
Title:

Brad Reader Date: 8/3/16
Brad Reader
General Manager



Attachment 2

Figures

